



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of

HIGUCHI

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**For: DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OF PET BOTTLE
FOR DRINKING WATER AND BEVERAGE**

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**Examiner
Huynh, Louis K.**

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

☒ The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS ALREADY PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	3	1	-XX (Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	1	1	-XX (Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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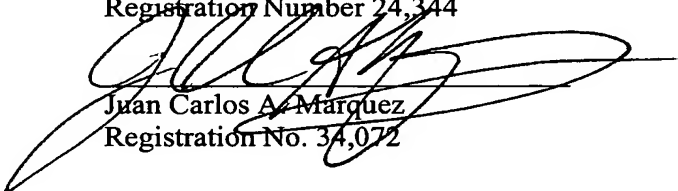
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☐ Preliminary Amendment
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This is in response to the office action dated May 4, 2005, in the above identified application, to which the period for response will expire on August 4, 2005. Please amend the above identified application as follows: